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UTAH BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING TO MEET

The Utah Board of Oil, Gas and Mining will meet in regular session on Wednesday, February 27, 2002 in the auditorium of the Department of Natural Resources, 1594 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah. The meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m.

The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining will brief board members on several items prior to the formal agenda that begins at 10:00 a.m. Among the items to be briefed are a status report on rules that are due for a five-year review, and a report on bankruptcy proceedings involving a Utah mining operation.

AGENDA

1. Docket No. 2001-022, Cause No. 139-73 - In the Matter of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining Requesting an Order to Plug Wells and Restore the Well Sites for Wells Operated by Road Runner Oil, Inc. and Gavilan Petroleum, Inc. in Duchesne and Uintah Counties.

This matter is continued from the December Board hearing.

Docket No. 2002-004, Cause No. M/045/022 - In the Matter of the Petition Filed by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining for an Order to Post Supplemental Reclamation Surety, or Require Immediate Reclamation, Magnesium Corporation of America, Knolls Solar Ponds Project, Tooele County, Utah.

This matter has been continued to the April Board hearing.

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